

SENATE RESOLUTION 138

By Kyle

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Michael James Gattas,
2014 Valedictorian of Christian Brothers High
School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Michael James Gattas is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2014 graduating class at Christian Brothers High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Gattas achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Mr. Gattas earned an exemplary 5.016 grade point average while participating in numerous clubs and activities, including Model United Nations, Student Council as President, and varsity tennis; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, Mr. Gattas was named a National Merit Finalist and an AP Scholar with Distinction; and

WHEREAS, Michael Gattas's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Michael's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Andrew and Lou Differ Gattas, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Michael Gattas's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2014

Christian Brothers High School Valedictorian, Michael James Gattas, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.